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USING BIODEGRADABLE INTERFERENCE
SCREW

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this paper in response to the non-final Office Action dated June 1, 2007.
A one month extension of time is submitted herewith.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

A copy of the **\$1.132 Declaration of Lisa Donnelly with Exhibits** is enclosed.